

# The City of Bates City

## Regular Board of Alderman Meeting

Tuesday, October 9, 2018  
7:00 p.m.  
City Council Chambers  
City Hall  
203 2<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Bates City, MO 64011

**CALL TO ORDER:** The meeting was called to order by Mayor Don White at 7:00 p.m.

**ROLL CALL:** City Clerk, Andrea Whitehead called the roll. A QUORUM WAS PRESENT:

Present: 4- Don White, Mayor  
Roy Trussel, Alderman  
Sherry Gaverth, Alderman  
Kathleen Palmer, Alderman  
Julie White, Alderman

CITY EMPLOYEES PRESENT: City Clerk, Andrea Whitehead, City Attorney, Kelli Wulff, Police Chief, Danny Long, and Police Officer, Stoney Neuman.

OTHERS PRESENT: Forrest Jeffery, Pat Trussel, Jesse & Lillian Sanders, and Ruth Beamer.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

**Pat Trussell** asked about the food pantry in the Bates City Banner. City Clerk, Andrea Whitehead said it was the Baptist church on the corner of Z Hwy.

**Police Officer, Stoney Neuman** did a demonstration for the Board with his drug detection dog, Kaiser. He is a 3 year old German Shephard trained to alert on the presence of illicit substances. He holds several certifications, but is not certified by the state, which requires a sponsoring law enforcement agency. **Chief Danny Long** told the Board he would consult the county prosecutor about probable cause specifics for drug detection dogs, but would like the Board to consider sponsoring his state certification in the future. The cost would be \$30 a year.

**CONSENT AGENDA:**

Alderman Trussel motioned with Alderman Palmer seconding to approve the consent agenda. The vote was unanimous.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**Bill No. 2018-10 AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BATES CITY, MISSOURI AMENDING SECTION 703.040 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE TO WATER SERVICE DEVELOPMENT CHARGES**


Bill No. 2018-10 was read twice by title. Alderman Trussell motioned to approve seconded by Alderman Gaverth. The vote was unanimous. Bill No. 2018-10 was passed and becomes Ordinance #5080

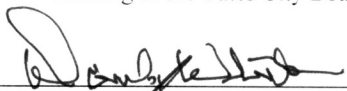
**STAFF REPORTS:**

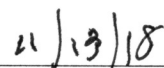
CITY CLERK: **Andrea Whitehead** advised the Board that the **City Collector, Sandi Beauchamp** did not attend the meeting due to family commitments. Whitehead did not have a clerk's report and instead gave the collector's report in Beauchamp's absence. Whitehead updated the Board on the latest news regarding Officer Stanley. She advised the Board that Beauchamp worked with Stanley's owner, Debbie Pack, and co-wrote an anti-bullying program that Stanley has been presenting to various schools. The program is geared toward early elementary grades.

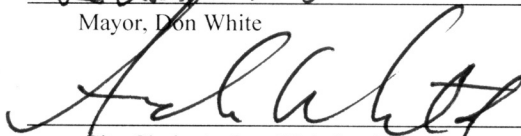
**ADJOURNMENT:**

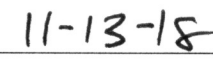
Alderman Palmer moved, with Alderman Trussel seconding, to adjourn. **Motion passed 4-0.** The regular meeting of the Bates City Board of Aldermen adjourned at 8:02 p.m.



  
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Mayor, Don White

  
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